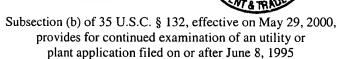
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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2003, in the above-identified application. A Notice of Appeal, and a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time, along with payment of the appropriate fee, was filed on November 19, 2003. A Request for Continuing Examination Application and a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time, along with payment of the appropriate fee, are being filed simultaneously herewith, making this Amendment due on or before April 19, 2004.

The Patent Office is authorized to charge any fees necessary for the continued pendency of the above-identified application to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

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